## LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, MI 49740

## **CERTIFIED MOTION # 031614-01**

Request to support Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Inc. application for Funding from U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment Access to Recovery Grant

- WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak, known in English as Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is a nation of citizens with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance and;
- WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians ("LTBB") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe under Public Law 103-324, and is a party to numerous Treaties with the United States the most recent of which being the Treaty of Washington of March 28, 1836 (7 Stat. 491) and the Treaty of Detroit of 1855 (11 Stat. 621);
- **WHEREAS** the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is the elected legislative body of the Tribe;
- WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is a member of the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Inc., a non-profit corporation duly organized under a State Charter filed April 16, 1968;
- WHEREAS: Article II of the Articles of Incorporation established a tribal organization which includes eleven (11) federally recognized tribes in Michigan; these being: Bay Mills Indian Community, Hannahville Indian Community, Keweenaw Bay Indian Community, Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians, Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe, Grand Traverse Bay Band of Ottawa/Chippewa Indians, Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians, Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians, Pokagon Band of Potawatomi Indians, Match-e-be-nash-she-wish Band of Potawatomi, and Nottawaseppi Huron Potawatomi; and
- WHEREAS: The Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Inc., desires to apply for the Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), PPHF-2014-Access to Recovery (ATR) Grant TI-14-004, in order to carry out a voucher program for substance abuse clinical treatment and recovery support services. The Anishnaabek

Healing Circle ATR Program will ensure client choice within a comprehensive array of treatment and recovery support service options while strengthening the individual's capacity to build and sustain a life in recovery; and

**WHEREAS:** The Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan supports building the capacity of the federally recognized tribes in Michigan to develop their local systems of care to address healing and recovery from addictions and mental health problems; and

WHEREAS: The previously funded ATR II and ATR III programs have made a very positive impact on outcomes for Native Americans and their family members who have received clinical treatment and recovery support services since October, 2007; and we wish to see those positive impacts continue to expand and grow;

WHEREAS: The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians supports building the capacity of federally recognized tribes in Michigan to develop a comprehensive recovery oriented system of care that includes tribal providers and non-tribal collaborators;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Inc. application for this grant application to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment Access to Recovery Grant.

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians will partner with collaborating tribes to form the Anishnaabek Healing Circle Access to Recovery Network. As the grantee, the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan will act as the administrative and fiscal agent to ensure all grant deliverables, timelines and requirements are met. The Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan will authorize and issue vouchers and work with the collaborating Tribes to recruit, train and build capacity of the ATR Network. As a vendor, the Tribe will function as an Access and Care Coordination Center and as a Network Provider and will be reimbursed for vouchered recovery management, recovery support, and clinical treatment services provided to consumers in the ATR Network. As a collaborating partner in the Anishnaabek Healing Circle Access to Recovery Initiative, the Tribe will develop its local capacity to provide recovery support services by fully implementing at least one locally prioritized recovery support initiative during the project period. The Tribe's designee will participate as an advisor to the program through participation in the Michigan Native Behavioral Health Communications Network. The collaborating tribe agrees to all GPRA data collection and reporting requirements, as defined by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA).

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the LTBB Tribal Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Tribal Administrator, or another designee from the Tribal Chairperson is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

## CERTIFICATION

Received by the Executive Office on 3/3/14 by by
The Executive concurs and recommend this action of the Tribal Council.
Date: 3/4/14
Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice Chair
Received by the Legislative Office on 3.4.14 by by
As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Certified Motion was duly approved by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held March 16, 2014 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 5 in favor, 0 opposed, abstentions, 4 absent as recorded by this certification as an official action on behalf of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians.

Date: 3-16-14

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Regina Gasco Bentley, Legislative Leader

Julie Shananaquet, Secretary